GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HOME AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3947
ANSWERED ON:19.12.2006
CHANGE OF NAME
Pallani Shamy Shri K.C .

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) Whether the Government proposes to ban the change of one`s name more than once ;

(b) If so, the details thereof; and

(c) The steps taken by the Government to simplify the procedure in this regard ?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI MANIKRAO HODLYA GAVIT)

(a),(b)&(c) : No Sir, there is no such proposal. The Registration of Births and Deaths (RBD) Act, 1969, however, does not permit changing the name in the birth register/certificate.